[28th January 1931

Arrears of loans and revenue in Bellary district.

*154 Q.—Mr. A. Ranganatha Mudaliyar: Will the hon. the Member for Revenue be pleased to state—

(a) the villages in each taluk of Bellary district where there are arrears of revenue of previous years remaining to be collected;

(b) the villages in each of such taluks where there are yet loans arrears to be collected; and

(c) the selling price of cholam and cotton in each of the last three months of this fasli and in the corresponding months of faslis 1334, 1335 and 1339?

A.—(a) & (b) Lists of villages are appended.[a]

(c) A statement giving the price of cholam is appended.[a] Further particulars have been called for in regard to the price of cotton.

Revenue Establishment

Alleged supply of ghee, etc., by village officers in South Kanara.

*155 Q.—Mr. U. C. Subrahmanya Bhatt: Will the hon. the Member for Revenue be pleased to state—

(a) whether just before the visit of His Excellency the Governor in October 1930 to South Kanara, the Tahsildars employed in South Kanara gave takids or orders to village officers to supply such things as ghee, fowls and eggs, and whether any accounts were maintained for the same and whether the village officers were paid for supplies made and receipts obtained from them; and

(b) what was the total quantity collected and the surplus left, and what happened to the same?

A.—(a) & (b) The Government have no information.

Srirangam Temple

Repairs to the Srirangam temple.

*156 Q.—Mr. K. Singam Ayyangar: Will the hon. the Member for Revenue be pleased to state what action the Government propose to take to give effect to the resolution of the Council in view of the fact that the committee appointed to go into the question of repairs to the Srirangam temple has not submitted any report?

A.—The hon. Member is referred to the answers given to question No. 256 at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 14th March 1927. Although the Committee made no report, the information which the Committee was to have collected was obtained and placed on the table of the House. The Government do not consider that any further action is called for.

[a] Printed as Appendix III on pages 418–415 infra.